GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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INTRODUCTION OF BIO-DIESEL
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to introduce the environment friendly biodiesel in the country particularly in Metropolitan Cities like Delhi;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the extent to which it is likely to help in decreasing pollution in the country; and

(d) the time by which it is likely to be introduced in Delhi and other metropolitan cities?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas and Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs (SHR SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) Only R&D studies are in progress presently.

(b) to (d) In view of (a) above question does not arise.